TRINITY COLLEGE (DUBLIN).

RETURN to an Order of the Honourable The House of Commons, dated 24 March 1858;—*for*,

COPY "of WARRANT authorising an Inquiry by the Solicitor-General for *Ireland* and Mr. *Stronge*, J.P., into the recent RIOTS at TRINITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN."

By the Lord Lieutenant-General and General Governor of Ireland.

EGLINTON AND WINTON.

WHEREAS, We have been informed that a disturbance of the public peace took place in College Green, and the places adjoining thereto, on Friday the 12th day of March instant, and that complaints have been made that certain Officers and Constables of the Metropolitan Police employed on the occasion exceeded their duty,—

Now, in order that We may be more fully informed as to the matter aforesaid, We, Archibald William Earl of Eglinton and Winton, Lord Lieutenant-general and General Governor of Ireland, reposing great trust and confidence in your knowledge and ability, have constituted and appointed, and by this Our Warrant do constitute and appoint you, Edmund Hayes, Esquire, one of Her Majesty's Counsel learned in the law, to be Our Commissioner to inquire into the said alleged disturbance of the public peace, and all the circumstances thereof, and all matters connected therewith, and particularly into the conduct of the officers and constables of the said Metropolitan Police in connexion with the same, and into the truth of all and singular the complaints of the conduct of them or any of them upon that occasion which may be brought under your investigation; and, for this purpose, We hereby grant unto you, Our said Commissioner, full power and authority to call before you all such persons as you may deem necessary who can give evidence and information upon all or any of the matters herein referred to you, and to inquire of the premises and every part thereof by all lawful ways and means whatsoever; and, lastly, We commend that you report to Us, in writing, your proceedings by virtue hereof, and what you shall find touching the matter.

Given at Her Majesty's Castle of Dublin the 19th day of March 1858.

By His Excellency's Command,

Thos. A. Larcom.

Edmund Hayes, Esq., Q. C.,
Commissioner to inquire into Disturbance of the Peace and conduct of the Police in College Green, &c.

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In pursuance of the provisions of an Act passed in the 5th year of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, Sess. 2, c. 24, you are hereby directed to attend at the Admiralty Court, in Dublin, on Saturday, the 20th day of March instant, and from day to day, as may be necessary, and to act as a Justice of the Peace, when it may be requisite, in the course of an inquiry, to be held at the above Court, into the circumstances connected with the collision which recently took place between certain members of the Dublin Metropolitan Police and Students of Trinity College; and for so doing this shall be your Warrant.

Given under my hand, at Her Majesty's Castle of Dublin, the 19th day of March 1858.

Thos. A. Larcom,
Under Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant.

To J. C. Stronge, Esq., Magistrate,
Dublin Police District.

(True copies.)

Thos. A. Larcom.

Dublin Castle, 26 March 1858.

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(*Mr. Hatchell.*)

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
13 *April* 1858.

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